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SUBJ: JAPANESE CCD REPR'S COMMENTS ON THRESHOLD TEST BAN TREATY

JULY 4 INTERNATIONAL HERALD TRIBUNE CARRIES ON FRONT
PAGE AP DISPATCH ON REACTIONS TO THRESHOLD TEST BAN TREATY
INCLUDING REMARKS BY JAPANESE CCD REP (AMB NISIBORI)
WHO IS QUOTED AS CRITICIZING THE THRESHOLD AS TOO HIGH
AND THE TWO YEAR TIME LAG AS TOO LONG. US DEPY CCD REP,
IN CONVERSATION WITH JAPANESE DELOFF AFTER JULY 4
PLENARY, IMPRESSED UPON HIM THAT US DEL WAS EXTREMELY
DISAPPOINTED BY NISIBORI'S REMARKS. NISIBORI SUBSEQUENTLY
PHONED AMB MARTIN (US REP) TO MAKE AMENDS. MARTIN
EXPLAINED THAT WE DID NOT OF COURSE QUESTION JAPANESE
DEL'S RIGHT TO EXPRESS ITS OPINION ON TREATY BUT THAT WE
THOUGHT AMB NISIBORI'S COMMENTS WERE AT LEAST PREMATURE.
AMB MARTIN STRESSED THAT WE REGARDED THE TREATY AS A SERIOUS
AND SIGNIFICANT ARMS CONTROL MEASURE AND WERE SORRY THAT THE
JAPANESE HAD NOT GIVEN US AN OPPORTUNITY FOR AN EXCHANGE
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